

FIG. 2A

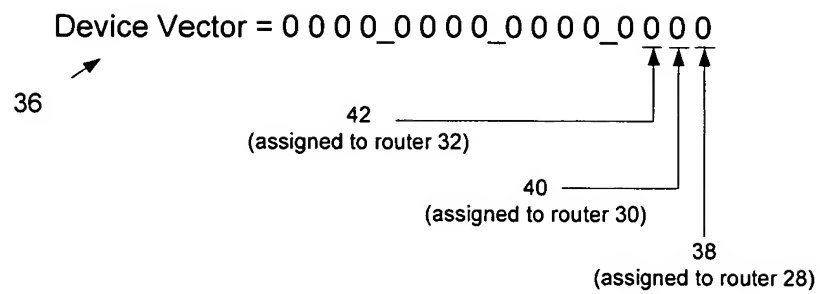


FIG. 2B

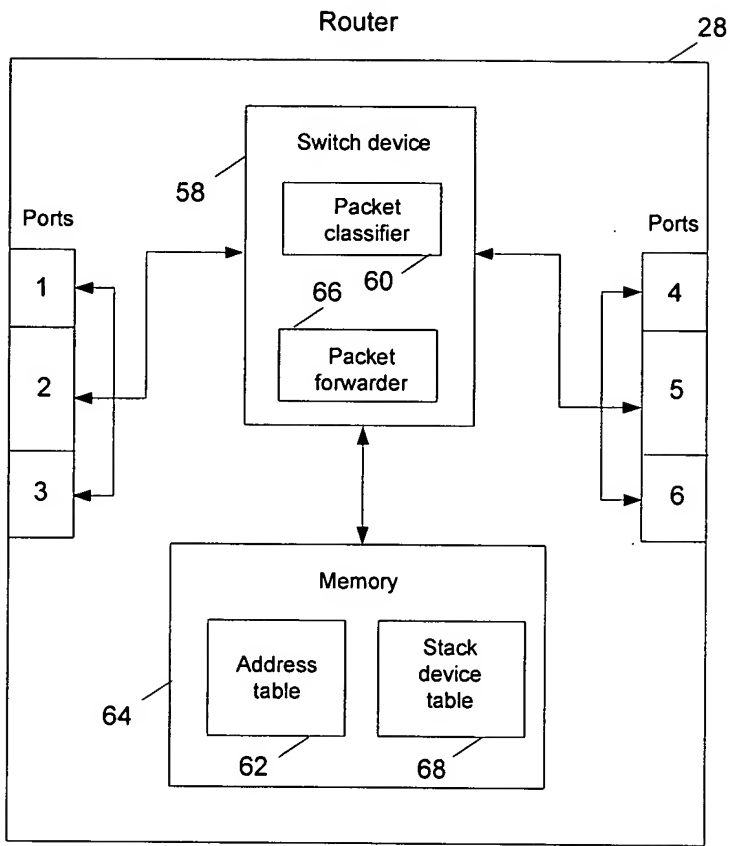


FIG. 3

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Stack device table stored in Router 28	
Stack Device Number	Router 28 Port Number
30	6
32	6

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Stack device table stored in Router 30	
Stack Device Number	Router 30 Port Number
28	2
32	6

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Stack device table stored in Router 32	
Stack Device Number	Router 32 Port Number
28	1
30	1

FIG. 4

Packet classifier

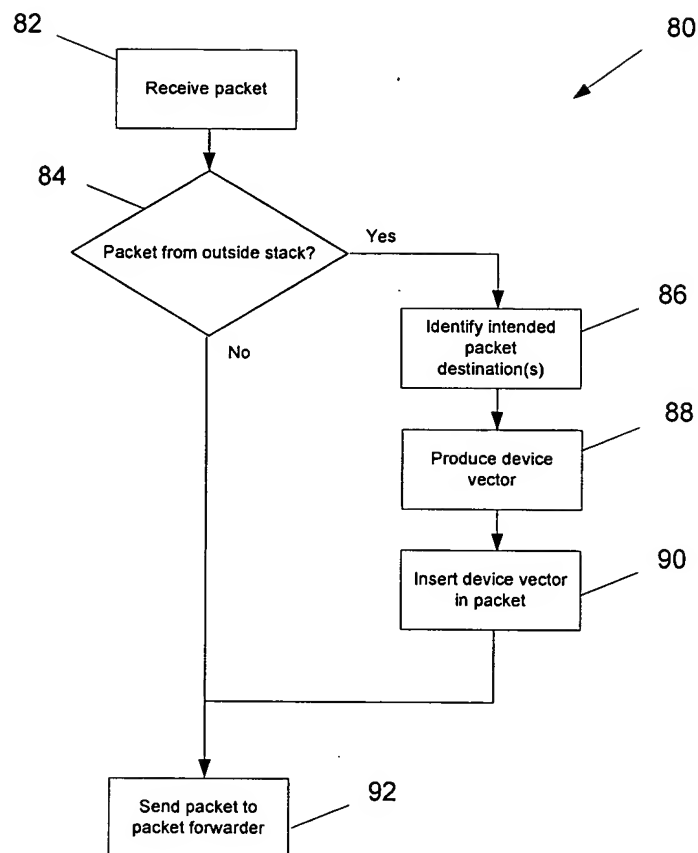


FIG. 5

Packet forwarder

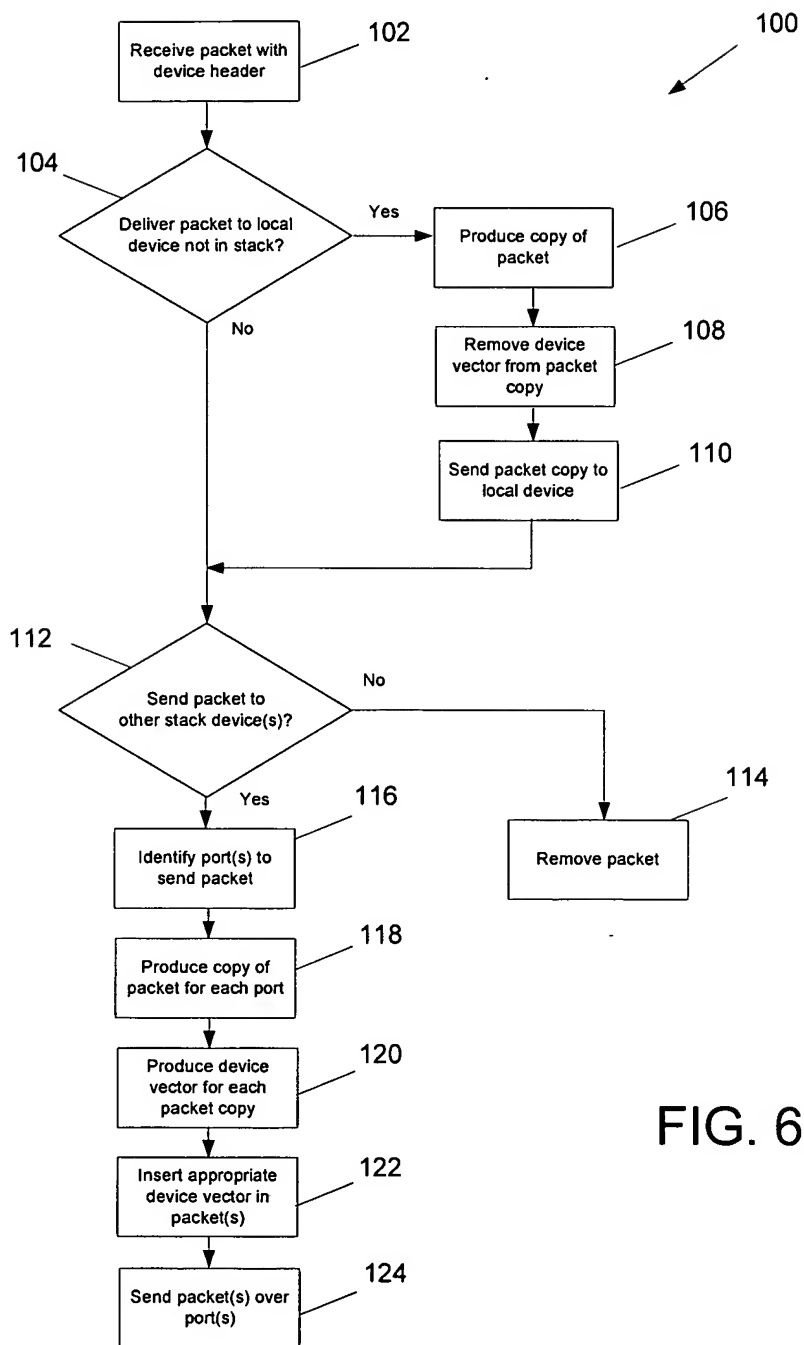


FIG. 6